

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q93855

Shinya KUSUDA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/572,937

Group Art Unit: 1624

Confirmation No.: 5148

Examiner: Erich A LEESER

Filed: March 22, 2006

For: PHENYLACETIC ACID DERIVATIVE, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND
USE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action dated September 16, 2008 to March 16, 2009.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$1110.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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